(*g*) whether the qualifications of such Honorary Dental Surgeons appointed to the regular service are such that could be registered?

Mr. C. J. Mathew *(Secretary to Government):*

(*a*) Messrs. E. Thomas and John Parakkal.

(*b*) Mr. E. Thomas, L.M. & S. (Madras), L.D.S., R.C.S., (England).
Mr. John Parakkal, M.B., B.S., L.D.S., R.C.S (England)

(*c*) There are two Honorary Assistants to the Dental Surgeons.

(*d*) Mr. K. C. Poulose, L.D.Sc., (Calcutta), Mr. K. J. Antony, Graduate, Dental College, Calcutta and Post-Graduate of Dental College, Tokyo.

(*e*) Both of them were appointed to officiate for the Dental Surgeons when the latter were on leave in 1119 and 1120.

(*f*) They were appointed officiating in the grade of Rs. 125—5—200.

(*g*) Both are registerable.

DENTAL SECTION—GENERAL HOSPITAL

229. **Mr. K. Kochukuttan** *(Nominated):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) who the Assistant Surgeon in charge of the Dental Section in the General Hospital is;

(*b*) what his qualifications are;

(*c*) who was appointed in his place when he went on leave and what are his educational qualifications general and special;

(*d*) what is his community?

Mr. C. J. Mathew *(Secretary to Government):*

(*a*) Mr. E. Thomas.

(*b*) L.M. & S. (Madras), L.D.S., R.C.S. (England).

(*c*) Mr. K. C. Poulose, L.D.Sc., (Calcutta).

(*d*) Jacobite Syrian.

AWARD AMOUNTS DEPOSITED IN COURT—PARTICULARS OF

230. **Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan** *(Vadakkancheri):* Will Government be pleased to state with reference to Question 12 answered on 31st July 1945.—

(*a*) the names of parties whose award amounts have been deposited in the treasury;

(*b*) the amounts in each case and the jenmy's dues in each case and the dates of these deposits?

Rao Sahib A. Madhava Prabhu *(Diwan Peishkar):*

(*a*) and (*b*) A list showing the particulars required is placed on the Council table. As regards the jenmy's dues, Government have no information.

GOVERNMENT DEPOTS AND WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ACT

231. **Mr. Paramel Ipe Ipe** *(Kunnamkulam):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether the Government depots are exempted from the provisions of the Weights and Measures Act, LXIII of 1112;

(*b*) whether sugar is sold at Government depots by the Cochin Standard Ratal;

(*c*) if not, is it not an infringement of section 6 of Act, LXIII of 1112;

(*d*) whether this infringement of the above said section 6 has ever been noticed by any Police Officer of the State;

(*e*) if so, whether any action has been taken by the police?

Rao Sahib A. Madhava Prabhu *(Diwan Peishkar):*

(*a*) No.

(*b*) No. It is sold by the English pound Avoirdupois.

(*c*) No. The use of the English Pound Avoirdupois has legal sanction behind it in as much as it is an authorised weight as per Rule No. 8 issued under the Act and since sections 5 and 6 of the Act allow the use of authorised weights also besides the standard weight.

(*d*) This question does not arise in view of the answer to question (*c*).

(*e*) This question also does not arise in view of the answer to questions (*c*) and (*d*).

VACATION PAY—TEACHERS

232. **Mr. C. S. Panicker** *(Adur):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether they allow vacation pay to Government school teachers appointed in acting vacancies if the permanent hand does not join duty at the time of the closing of the school;

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(*b*) whether they allow vacation pay to aided school teachers in acting vacancies even if the permanent hand does not join duty;

(*c*) are not teachers of aided schools denied the privilege of the vacation pay even if they are appointed from the re-opening of the school in the current year;

(*d*) are they not denied of this previlege for one year even if the vacancy is permanent?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*:

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No, if they are purely officiating hands.

(*c*) Not always. Only purely officiating hands in aided schools are to be relieved on the closing date for midsummer.

(*d*) No. Teachers appointed permanently on the date of reopening are not denied this privilege.

EXAMINATION FEES—S.S.L.C. EXAMINATION—1945

233. Mr. P. K. Paul *(Chalakkudi)*: Will Government he pleased to state.—

(*a*) the total amount of examination fees realised for the S.S.L.C. Examination of March 1945;

(*b*) the amount of expenditure incurred in connection with examination under the following heads.—

(*i*) Examinors' allowance for preparing question papers and valuation of answer papers;

(*ii*) Supervision allowance;

(*iii*) Stationery;

(*iv*) Other incidental sundry charges;

(*v*) Surplus amount, if any?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*:

(*a*) and (*b*) The information asked for is confidential and cannot be made public.

POST WAR SCHEMES

൨൩൫. മിസ്റ്റർ പി. നാരായണമേനോൻ :

താഴെ പറയുന്ന ചോദ്യത്തിന്ന ഗവമ്മെണ്ടു് സദയം മറുപടി പറയുമോ.—

യുദ്ധാനന്തരപുനഃസംഘടനയിൽ ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തിയിട്ടുള്ള മരാമത്തുകൾ യുദ്ധം കഴിഞ്ഞിട്ടും ആരംഭിക്കാത്തതു എന്തുകൊണ്ടു"?

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. അരവിന്ദാക്ഷമേനോൻ :

യുദ്ധാനന്തര പുനഃസംഘടനയിൽ ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തിയിട്ടുള്ള മരാമത്തുകൾ ആരംഭിക്കുവാനുള്ള നടപടികൾ എടുത്തുവരുന്നുണ്ടു".

ROADS—ERNAKULAM TOWN

235. Mr. P. K. Dewer *(Nominated)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) how many roads there are in the Ernakulam Town running south-north and what are these;

(*b*) what the width of each of these roads is and what the conditions of these roads are;

(*c*) are these roads in a fit condition to allow regular bus services from morn to eve without danger of public safety?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer)*:

(*a*) 4 Main roads. They are.—

1. Chittur Road.
2. T. D. Road.
3. Market Road.
4. Broadway.

(*b*) The average width of these roads are.—

1. 20 ft.
2. 16 ft.
3. 19 ft.
4. 21 ft. (except for Bazaar portion which is less)

(*c*) The condition of these roads is fair.

The roads are narrow. Buses should therefore be driven with care.

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